

Saturday, 09/09/2017

The vacuum issue that was experienced in the afternoon on Thursday, 09/07/2017, which caused the TAGA mobile laboratory to be pulled from service has been rectified. Parts that were overnighted from the RTP, NC office were collected from the FedEx office at 0900. A service engineer for the TAGA MS/MS system arrived at the Houston Laboratory at 1000 to affect repairs. The vacuum controller box was replaced. At 1200, the TAGA mobile laboratory began a road test under various road and driving conditions. The road test lasted for more than an hour. The vacuum system did not fail during the road test. The TAGA mobile laboratory is scheduled to be available for monitoring tomorrow, Sunday, 09/10/2017. The Las Vegas TAGA mobile laboratory is anticipated to arrive later this date.